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FOR SCIENCE COUNSELOR JOHN GRANGER

E.O. 11652:

TAGS: TSPA, UN

SUBJECT: OUTER SPACE COMMITTEE CONSULTATIONS WITH SOVIETS
AND UK

1. TEAM OF THREE U.S. OFFICIALS (GERALD HELMAN, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE, IO; STEPHEN BOND, L/UNA, AND NEIL HOSENBALL, GENERAL COUNSEL, NASA) ARRIVING IN LONDON FOR BILATERALS WITH SOVIETS ON OUTER SPACE MATTERS MAY 30 AND 31. TEAM ALSO WANTS TO MEET WITH BRITISH OUTER SPACE EXPERTS JUNE 1.

2. EMBASSY LONDON REQUESTED TO MAKE HOTEL RESERVATIONS FOR HELMAN AND HOSENBALL AT APPROPRIATE HOTEL WITHIN
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WALKING DISTANCE OF EMBASSY. HELMAN AND HOSENBALL WILL WANT TO USE HOTEL ROOMS IMMEDIATELY UPON ARRIVAL TUESDAY, MAY 30, AT 8:30 A.M., VIA PAN AM 106. BOND ARRIVING LONDON A.M. MONDAY, MAY 29. PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS AT HOTEL AVARARD FOR BOND; IF AVARARD BOOKED, EMBASSY SHOULD BOOK ROOMS AT SIMILAR CLASS HOTEL.

3. EMBASSY LONDON ALSO REQUESTED TO CONTACT RUSSIAN EMBASSY TO CONFIRM CONSULTATION ARRANGEMENTS, WITH FIRST

MEETING SCHEDULED AT U.S. EMBASSY, 11:30 TUESDAY, MAY 30, WITH CONSULTATIONS CONTINUING AFTER LUNCH. WE LEAVE TO EMBASSY'S DISCRETION WHETHER CONSULTATIONS SHOULD CONTINUE AT EMBASSY WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, OR AS SOVIETS MAY SUGGEST, MOVE TO SOVIET EMBASSY. EMBASSY ALSO REQUESTED TO APPROACH MFA TO REQUEST APPROPRIATE APPOINTMENT FOR US TEAM JUNE 1 TO DISCUSS FULL RANGE OF UN OUTER SPACE COMMITTEE MATTERS, INCLUDING MOON TREATY, REMOTE SENSING, DBS, DEFINITION AND DELIMITATION OF OUTER SPACE, GEOSTATIONARY ORBIT, NUCLEAR POWER SOURCES, OSC CHAIRMANSHIP AND MOVE TO INCREASE OSC MEMBERSHIP. (BOND WILL CHECK IN WITH GRANGER MONDAY TO ASSIST IN DRAWING UP SOVIET AND UK SCHEDULES AND AGENDA.)

4. HELMAN WOULD WELCOME JOHN GRANGER ATTENDING BOTH RUSSIAN AND UK MEETINGS.

5. FOR EMBASSY MOSCOW, PLEASE PASS LIST OF DISCUSSION TOPICS TO MFA. CHRISTOPHER

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